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In accordance with MPEP § 608.02 and 37 CFR § 1.84(b)(2), Applicants respectfully request that the photographs submitted as Figures 4, 6, 8-16 and 18-21 in the above-identified patent application be accepted as formal drawings. The photographs illustrate aspects of the invention which cannot be accurately or adequately depicted by ink drawings.

The application accompanying this petition includes three (3) sets of the color photographs for Figures 4, 6, 8-16 and 18-21, as well as one set of black-and-white photocopies of color Figures 1-23, as required.

Please charge the petition fee of \$130.00 due hereunder to Deposit Acct. No. 19-0743.

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